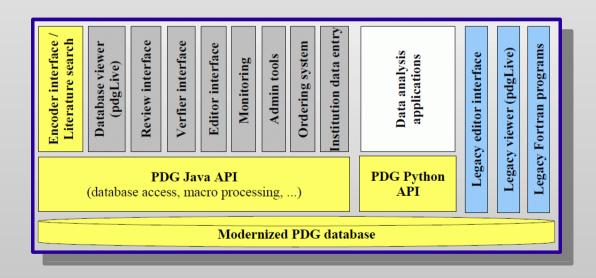




Requirements and Architecture

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Outline:

- Applications
- Architecture
- System and components
- Technologies
- Cross-linking with other systems



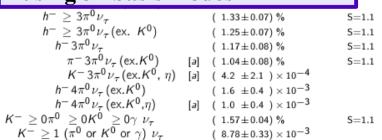
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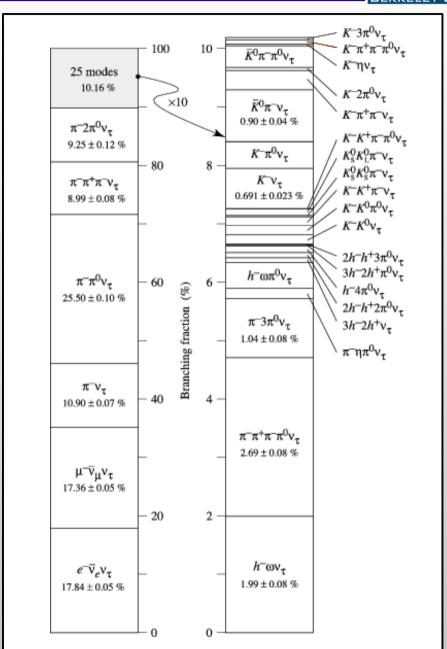


τ^- DECAY MODES

 au^+ modes are charge conjugates of the modes below. " h^\pm " stands for π^\pm or K^\pm . " ℓ " stands for e or μ . "Neutrals" stands for γ 's and/or π^0 's.

	Mode	F	raction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence leve
	Modes with o	one charge	ed particle	
1	particle ⁻ ≥ 0 neutrals $\geq 0K^0$ ("1-prong")		(85.33±0.08) %	S=1.4
2	$particle^{-} \ge 0$ neutrals $\ge 0K^{0}$	$^{0}_{I}\nu_{\tau}$	(84.69±0.09) %	S=1.4
3	$\mu^- \overline{\nu}_{\mu} \nu_{\tau}$	[a]	(17.36 ± 0.05) %	
4	$\mu - \overline{\nu}_{\mu} \nu_{\tau} \gamma$	[b]	$(3.6 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-1}$	0-3
5	$e^- \overline{\nu}_e \nu_{\tau}$	[a]	(17.84 ± 0.05) %	
6	$e^-\overline{ u}_e u_ au\gamma$	[b]	(1.75±0.18) %	
7	$h^- \geq 0 K_L^0 \ u_{ au}$		(12.14 ± 0.07) %	S=1.1
3	$h^- \nu_{ au}$		(11.59 ± 0.06) %	S=1.1
9	$\pi^- \nu_{\tau}$	[a]	(10.90 ± 0.07) %	S=1.1
10	$K^-\nu_{\tau}$	[a]	$(6.91 \pm 0.23) \times 1$	₀ –3
11	$h^- \geq 1$ neutrals $ u_{ au}$		(37.05 ± 0.12) %	S=1.3
12	$h^{-} \geq 1\pi^{0}\nu_{\tau}(\text{ex}.K^{0})$		(36.51 ± 0.12) %	S=1.3
13	$h^{-}\pi^{0}\nu_{\chi}$		(25.95 ± 0.10) %	S=1.1
14	$\pi^-\pi^0\nu_{\tau}$	[a]	(25.50 ± 0.10) %	S=1.1
15	$\pi^-\pi^0$ non- ρ (770) $\nu_{ au}$		(3.0 ± 3.2) \times 1	
16	$K^-\pi^0\nu_{\tau}$	[a]	(4.52±0.27) × 1	0-3
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Revised September 2005 by J. Erler (U. Mexico) and P. Langacker (Univ. of Pennsylvania).

- 10.1 Introduction
- Renormalization and radiative corrections

- 10.4 Precision

Cross-section and asymmetry formulae The Cabibbo Angle and CKM Unitarity 10.5 W andBlucher ¹ and W.J. Marciano ² stitute, The University of Chicago, Chicago, Il National Laboratory, Upton, New York 119 Maskawa (CKM) [1, 2] 3-generation quark m n parameters (λ, A, ρ, η) [3] nicely illustrates 10^{-3} entral role played by λ . The Muon Anomalous

Andreas Höcker¹ and Willi

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1165Extra Dimensions (new) Additional Reviews and Notes related to specific particles are located in the Particle Listings.

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Requirements Specification



- High-level requirements document
- Additional requirements documents where needed
 - Ordering system
 - Review interface
 - **...**
- Current applications / prototypes developed earlier by Kirill and Slava Lugovsky
 - Editor interface
 - PdgLive
 - Encoder interface prototype
- Close interaction with PDG

Written in 2006

High-Level Requirements and Roadmap for PDG Computing

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This document summarizes the high-level requirements for the upgraded PDG computing system and proposes a roadmap for completing the upgrade. It is intended to serve as a starting point for a cost estimate for the completion of the upgrade project.

Draft Version 1.1

PDG Product Ordering System

Requirements, Design and Work Plan for the Computing Internship of Jacob Andreas

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This document summarizes the requirements for the PDG Product Ordering System, discusses some initial design ideas and suggests a work plan for the internship.

1. Introduction and Goal

The PDG Product Ordering System allows anybody to request products from the Particle Data Group. These products include the Review of Particle Physics (a 1300+ pages thick book), the Booklet (about 300 pages), and a Pocket Diary. Other products have been available in the past, and may be available in the future. All products are shipped free of charge.

PDG currently distributes 16,000 copies of the big book, 31,000 booklets and 17,000 diaries. About half of these are distributed in Europe by CERN. Most of the big books are shipped directly from the publisher based on address lists we provide at the time the big book is published. This happens every 2 years. Some of the books, booklets and diaries are picked up at LBNL or CERN in person. others are



Important General Requirements



Production quality system – PDG data must be correct

Workflow management

- System should keep track of who needs to do what and by when
- One of the main improvements from new system

Task tracking

- PDG work generally consists of a set of well-defined tasks
 - Example: add the information from this paper to the Listings
- System needs to keep track of scientific changes made for each task and ensure traceability
 - Changes for single task may happen over course of days, weeks or months, and are usually done by several persons in different UI sessions

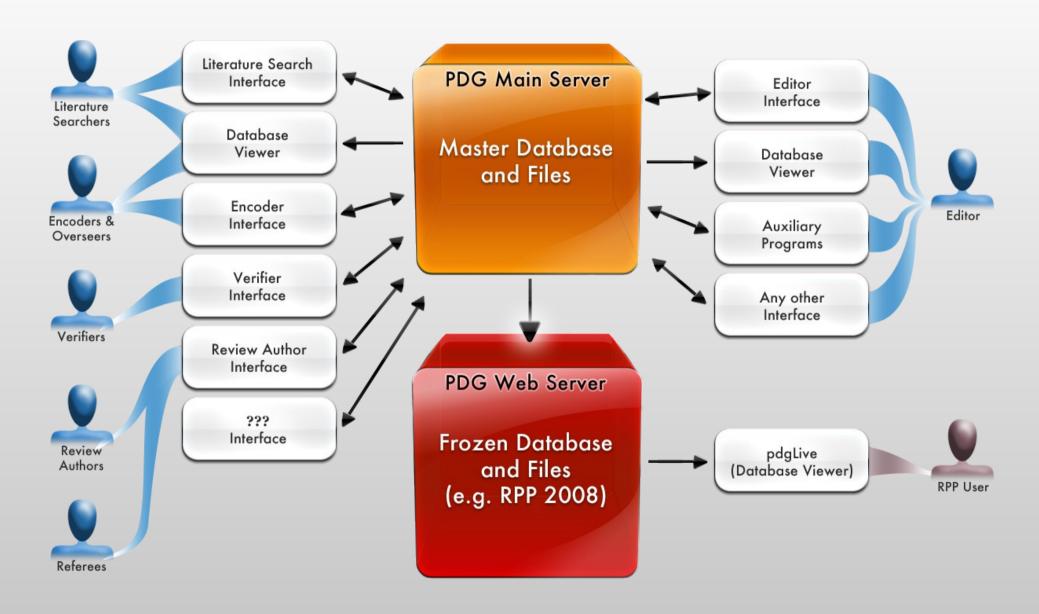
Support for different output formats

- Must separate content from output medium and formatting
- Implemented starting at database level by using "PDG macros"
- TeX remains the fundamental format



High-Level Architecture

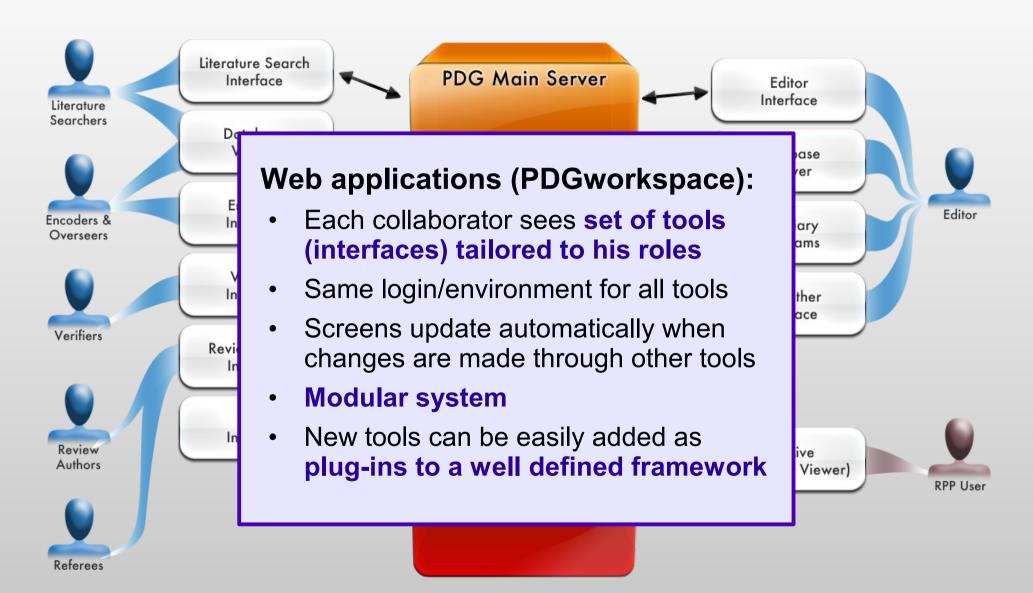






High-Level Architecture







Required Web Applications (I)



Encoder interface and literature search interface

- Future primary data entry interfaces
- Task driven, easy-to-use tools for non-experts
- By far our most complex application
- Contains a large subset of the database viewer

Database viewer (pdgLive)

- Web-based application for browsing of database contents
- Dynamically generates web-pages in format similar to RPP book
- Used both for pdgLive (on published RPP edition),
- And as tool to inspect new entries during encoding process
- Provides direct links from RPP entries to SPIRES to actual papers



Required Web Applications (II)



Review interface

- Keep track of status and responsibilities for each review
- Manage different versions during authoring and refereeing

Verifier interface

 Manage verification process and provide web page for verifiers to report their acceptance or corrections

Editor interface

- Expert-only web-based GUI to edit raw content of PDG database
- Only used by editor
- Diminishing role as most data entry tasks will be done decentralized through Encoder Interface

Reporting

Reports on progress of Listings & Reviews



Required Web Applications (III)



Admin tools

 Configuration tool allows coordinators and editors to define users, assign responsibilities, etc

Ordering system, user profile management

- Users (including collaborators) can create a profile, order products, and update their address and preferences
- This functionality is both available as preferences in PDGworkspace and as a separate stand-alone ordering system for the public (with more limited functionality)
- Interface for updating institution data

If needed later, additional applications can be added easily into the PDGworkspace framework



Required Programs & Scripts



Data analysis environment

- Environment with both access to PDG data and to numerical algorithms, data analysis and graphics tools (for example ROOT, GNU Scientific Library (GSL), CERN libraries, ...)
- Allows interactive access to PDG database

Auxiliary programs and scripts

- Fitting, averaging, graphics, production of TeX files for Listings
- Used directly by editor, and indirectly through encoder interface
- Ultimately based on above data analysis environment

System monitoring

 Scripts and web pages that alert us as early as possible to problems (e.g. web server down, low disk space, etc.)

Mailing system

 Interfacing of mailing system (mailman) to PDG database in order to automatically update various mailing lists



System and Components





- = new components included in V0 release
- = still to be implemented as part of upgrade (some partly done)

Encoder interface / Literature search

Database viewer (pdgLive)

Review interface

Verfier interface

PDG Java API

(database access, macro processing, ...)

Editor interface

Monitoring

Admin tools
Ordering system

Institution data entry

Data analysis applications

PDG Python API Legacy editor interface

Legacy viewer (pdgLive)

Legacy Fortran programs

Modernized PDG database

See later talks for more details on some of these components



Technologies



J2EE-based web application framework

Commonly used industry standard for building scalable, distributed web applications

Ajax-enabled web pages

User-friendly and highly interactive GUI behavior

Relational database (PostgreSQL)

130 database tables

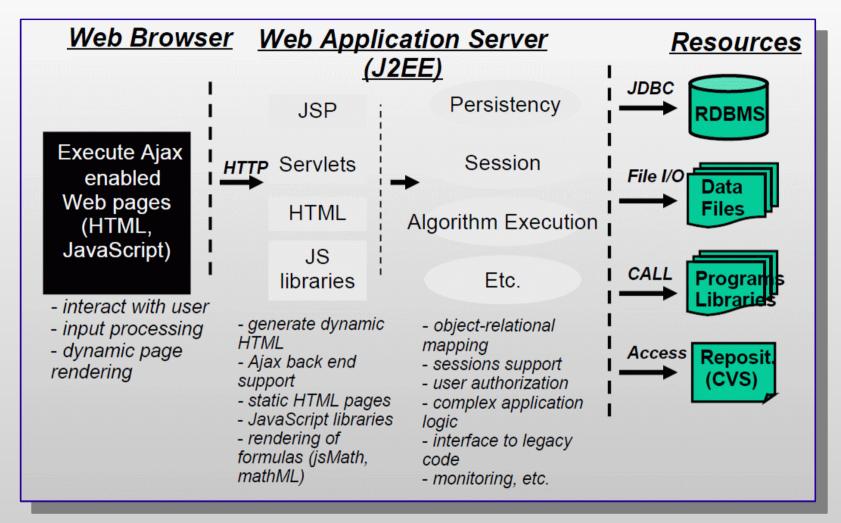
Programming languages

- Java and JSP for web application framework backend
- JavaScript and CSS for client-side HTML (Ajax)
- Python API for programmatic access to database and to interface to numerical libraries and tools
- Legacy Fortran applications restructured as libraries



Three-Tier Web Application





Industry-standard way to build professional, highly interactive, maintainable web applications



Hardware

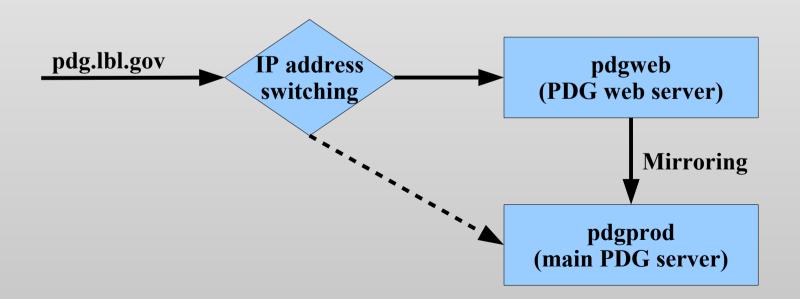


New modern Linux servers, each with

- 2 x Quad Core Opteron (AMD), 2.4GHz, 16GB DDR2 memory
- 1 or 2 TB of RAID mirrored disk space

Redundancy failover scheme for web server

- Automatic switchover to backup web server running on pdgprod in case of a problem with PDG web server
- Will be deployed as part of "pdg1 migration" (see project plan)





Cross-Linking with Other Systems



- So far cross-linking between PDG and other systems (e.g. SPIRES/INSPIRE) has been extremely limited
 - About to change with the new computing system
- Wish list:
 - A user looking at an entry in INSPIRE: "What data does PDG have about this?"
 - Entries in the Listings for related particles or particle properties
 - PDG review articles on related topics
 - A user looking at an entry in PDG:
 "What are the latest preprints / publications on this topic?"

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 Collaboration with colleagues from INSPIRE (Annette Holtkamp, Kirsten Sachs and others)



PDG Identifiers



Formalized PDG nodes into externally usable PDG Identifiers

Strings w/o spaces of the form

[DATABASE::]NODE[:ATTRIBUTE=VALUE[,ATTRIBUTE=VALUE...]]

where

- DATABASE: PDG database/RPP edition (optional)
- NODE: a PDG node (e.g. S008)
- ATTRIBUTE, VALUE: additional qualifiers (e.g. decay modes)

S008T

Examples:

- S008 pi+-

S008Mpi+- mass (MeV)

- S008:Desig=1 pi+ --> mu+ nu_mu

- Can be used in many ways:
 - Mapping to existing classification
 - Use as "pointers" to PDG data

π[±] ME VALUE

2.6033
2.6036:



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HEP Taxonomy



- Translation table between PDG Identifiers and HEP Taxonomy allows mapping of INSPIRE queries onto PDG data
 - First results shown at Information Providers Summit IV (2010)

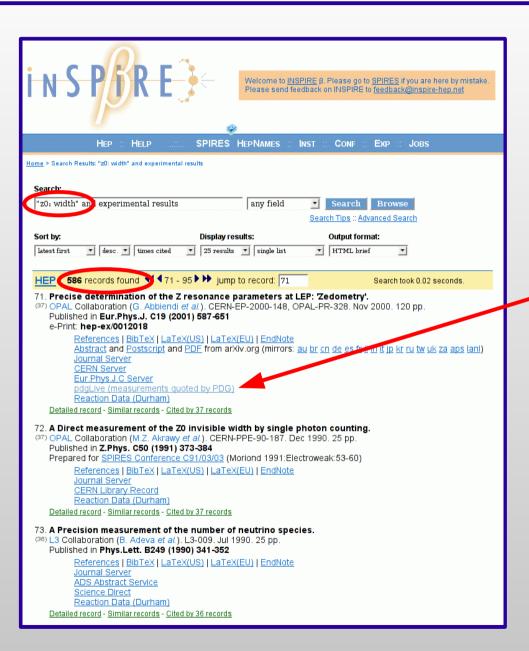
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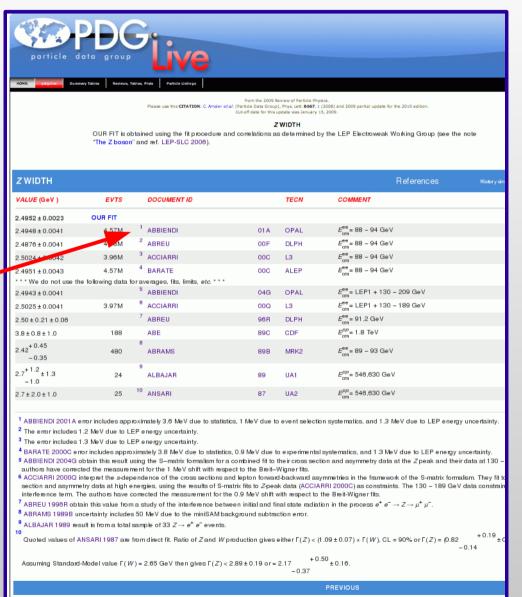
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[PDGitem]
PDGcode = S044W
Description = Z WIDTH (GeV)
                              Example from mapping being
Query = "Z0: width"
                                 worked out by INSPIRE
[PDGitem]
                                  team at CERN / DESY
PDGcode = S044:Desig=1
Description = Z --> e+ e-
Query = "Z0 --> positron electron"
[PDGitem]
PDGcode = S044Z0T
Description = A^{**}(0, tau)(FB) CHARGE ASYMMETRY IN e+ e- --> tau+
tau-
Query = "electron positron: annihilation" and "tau: pair
production"
or "electron positron --> tau+ tau-" and
("charge: asymmetry" or "angular distribution: asymmetry")
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INSPIRE Queries vs pdgLive







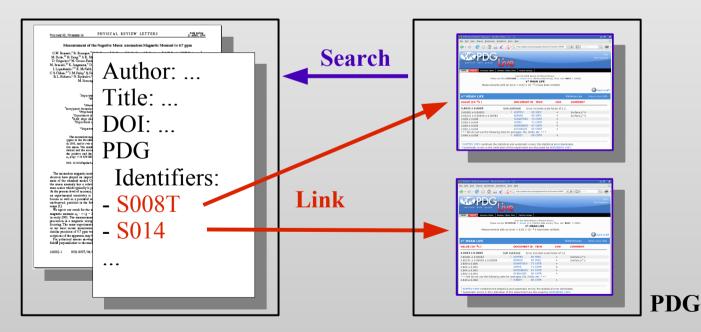


PDG Identifiers as Tags



Include PDG Identifiers as tags into article metadata

- Lets INSPIRE point directly to relevant sections of PDG
- Generated initial set of tags from PDG database
- Could allow authors to tag their articles using a convenient GUI (similar to pdgLive) to find the relevant identifier



INSPIRE



Conclusions



- The new PDG computing system uses a modern, modular, web-based architecture and is implemented using industryproven technologies
 - Architecture proven by working V0 system
- A combination of written requirements specifications, existing prototypes and close interaction with PDG ensures that the system being built does address our needs
 - The set of components / interfaces being built addresses all aspects of current PDG work
 - Additional components could be easily added later if needed for future PDG work or requested by the HEP community
- The new system allows far more extensive cross-linking with other systems (such as INSPIRE)
 - Immutable PDG Identifiers as externally usable pointers to PDG data
 - Collaboration with INSPIRE on cross-linking
 - Other ideas under discussions